

Las Vegas Israelite

lectured extensively in synagogues, community centers, university campuses and classrooms throughout the United States, Canada and Israel. He has vividly brought the glorious heritage of Hassidic music to enthusiastic audiences wherever he has appeared. By means of tape recordings, he introduces his audiences to the finger-snapping and foot-tapping melodies which have become the hallmark of Hassidic music. In addition, Mr. Pasternak succeeds in transmitting a renewed appreciation for the Hassidim, one of the most colorful groups in Jewish life.

Mr. Pasternak was born in Toronto, Canada. He received his B.A. at Yeshiva University, his M.A. at Columbia University, and did his postgraduate studies at the Department of Ethnomusicology, Jewish Theological Seminary in New York City, Juilliard School of Music, and Columbia University.

He presently serves as an Associate Professor of Jewish music at Touro College in New York City, and has held the position of Music Director at Brandeis-Bardin in California, Music Director at Congregation Sons of Israel (1957-1977), and Faculty Member at Yeshiva University (1959-1966).

The Las Vegas community will be treated to an evening of superb music by a fine lecturer who is interesting and informative -- exhibiting warmth. humor and enthusiasm in his presentation of Hassidic music in the past, present and what will be happening in the future.

Gentlemen are reminded to bring their yarmelke, or one will be provided.

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Refusenik Given Permission To Emigrate To Israel

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A REFUSENIK FOR 13 YEARS, Eliahu Essas of Moscow was finally given permission to emigrate to Israel in January. In the USSR he was a leading figure in demanding the right of Soviet Jews to learn Hebrew and enjoy full religious rights. He is currently visiting the U.S. for the National Conference on Soviet Jewry as part of its campaign, "To Summit II,"

WASHINGTON (WNS) — The Maryland House of Delegates in Annapolis isued a proclamation honoring Soviet Jewish refusenik losif Begun "for his ability to endure extreme circumstances and duress."



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